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FOR WILLIS

1. CONCUR THAT NORWAY PROPOSAL REFTEL (A) IS BASICALLY  
ACCEPTABLE TO U.S. IF NORWAY IS PREPARED TO PRESENT A

FINAL PROPOSAL FOR CO-SPONSORSHIP, HOWEVER, TREASURY  
WOULD HAVE SEVERAL TECHNICAL DRAFTING SUGGESTIONS TO MORE  
ACCURATELY EXPRESS INTENTION OF BOTH U.S. AND OR NORWAY.  
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2. WITH RESPECT TO PARA 3, REFTEL (B), NORWAY CONVERSION  
TO SDRS WAS MADE DIRECTLY ON THE BASIS OF GOLD EQUIVALENT,  
RATHER THAN THROUGH THE DOLLAR AS IS PROPOSED IN EFFECT  
BY WILLIS. ON THAT BASIS, NORWAY APPROACH MAY BE

PSYCHOLOGICALLY MORE ACCEPTABLE TO SOME COUNTRIES.

ADVISE AWAIT RECEIPT AND STUDY OF TWO TECHNICAL ANNEXES TO NORWAY PROPOSAL, WHICH HAVE NOT BEEN RECEIVED YET IN WASHINGTON, TO DETERMINE WHAT U.S. POSITION SHOULD BE.

3. CONCUR WILLIS SHOULD INDICATE THAT NORWAY PROPOSAL SUPERCEDES OUR "OUTLINE", AND SUGGEST TO SHINWANI GENERAL

NEED FOR BROAD SUPPORT.

4. NO FURTHER U.S. INITIATIVE ON GOLD CLAUSE SHOULD BE TAKEN UNTIL AFTER DISCUSSIONS WITH BRITISH AND NORWEGIANS ON THEIR NEXT STEPS AND EXTENT TO WHICH THEY REPEAT THEY WILL SEEK SUPPORT NORWAY PROPOSAL, AND SUBSEQUENT ASSESSMENT IN IGIA OF U.S. POSTURE AND STRATEGY. AGREE THAT BROAD SUPPORT FOR A WORKABLE PROPOSAL BE ACHIEVED PRIOR TO SEPTEMBER DIPCON.

5. AGREE WITH THOROUGH QUESTIONS TO BE POSED TO NORWAY FOR CLARIFICATION THEIR POSITION LISTED IN PARA 4, REFTEL (B). SUGGEST FURTHER CLARIFICATIONS NEEDED OF REFTEL (A):

(1) DOES NORWAY PROPOSE SINGLE PROTOCOL AMENDING WARSAW, HAGUE, AND GUATEMALA OR THREE SEPARATE PROTOCOLS ONE FOR EACH INSTRUMENT?;

(2) DOES FAILURE TO MENTION GOLD CLAUSE IN CARGO PROTOCOL REFLECT LACK OF SUPPORT BY NORWAY FOR THAT INSTRUMENT?

6. ATA ADVISES SUPPLEMENTAL PLAN AGREEMENT WILL BZ SUBMITTED TO CAB UPON RETURN OF REASONABLE NUMBER OF SIGNED AGREEMENTS (A CAB STIPULATION) WHICH HAVE BEEN MAILED ALREADY TO U.S. AND FOREIGN CARRIERS.

7. IGIA MEETING SCHEDULED JULY 24. KISSINGER  
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